

RESOLUTION NO. 2008-136

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING
THE CITY MANAGER TO NEGOTIATE AND PURCHASE FOUR
TYPE 2 MEDIUM DUTY TRANSIT VEHICLES THROUGH THE
STATE OF CALIFORNIA CONTRACT, AUTHORIZING
CONVERSION OF THE VEHICLES TO COMPRESSED
NATURAL GAS, AND FURTHER APPROPRIATING FUNDS

WHEREAS, Lodi Municipal Code Section 3.20.070 authorizes dispensing with bids for purchases of supplies, services, or equipment when it is in the best interest of the City to do so; and

WHEREAS, the City of Lodi currently operates numerous compressed natural gas (CNG) vehicles and a fueling station; and

WHEREAS, the City received Proposition 1B grant funding to replace vehicles in fiscal year 2008-09; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends purchasing four new gasoline vehicles to be procured through the State of California contract due to limited availability of CNG vehicles and the ease of procurement provided by the State contract; and

WHEREAS, staff further recommends that the City Council authorize the City Manager to negotiate a change order with Bus West to convert the vehicles to CNG.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby authorize the City Manager to negotiate and purchase four Type 2 medium duty bus (Dial-A-Ride) transit vehicles through the State of California contract; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to negotiate a change order with Bus West to convert the vehicles to CNG prior to the City taking possession; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the funds be appropriated as follows:

Proposition 1B Transit Capital Funds	\$380,000
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Dated: July 16, 2008


I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2008-136 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held July 16, 2008, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hansen, Hitchcock, Johnson, Katzakian, and Mayor Mounce

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None


RANDI JOHL
City Clerk